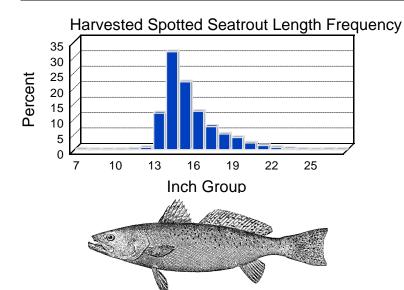
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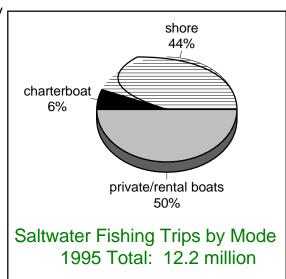
1995 Fact Sheet





Species	Number Harvested (thousands)	Pounds Harvested (thousands)	Number Released (thousands)
DOLPHINS	697	6203	254
SPOTTED SEATROUT	1796	2369	6418
SHEEPSHEAD	1212	2451	853
KING MACKEREL	413	4067	106
SPANISH MACKEREL	667	923	355





DID YOU KNOW?

Nearly 2.2 million anglers participated in recreational saltwater fishing off Florida's Gulf coast in 1995.

More spanish mackerel were caught by anglers off Florida's Gulf coast in 1995 than from any other state.

MRFSS field interviewers have identified 362 different species of fish caught in Florida waters.

Over 250,000 saltwater anglers have been interviewed at Florida fishing sites since the MRFSS began in 1979.